

Remarks

Applicants received a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 16, 2011 indicating that all of the drawings sheets are not marked with "Replacement Sheet." In their previous Amendment dated December 13, 2011, Applicants submitted replacement drawings for Figures 4B, 6, 7A, 7B, 8A, and 8B, wherein the text size was increased to 12pt. font. The top right-hand corner of the sheets that Figures 4B, 6, 7A, 7B, 8A, and 8B are provided on was marked with "Replacement Sheet" as requested by the Patent Office. Applicants respectfully submit that the indication of "Replacement Sheet" is only required on those sheets containing drawings that have been amended. Therefore, only sheets 4 and 6-10, which are the sheets Figures 4B, 6, 7A, 7B, 8A, and 8B are provided on, need to be marked "Replacement Sheet." Entry and consideration of the replacement drawings is respectfully requested. Accordingly, withdrawal of the objection to the drawings is respectfully requested.

Applicants invite the Examiner to call the undersigned if clarification is needed on any of this response, or if the Examiner believes a telephonic interview would expedite the prosecution of the subject application to completion.

Respectfully submitted,



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